GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

PUBLIC SERVICES – Water Resources Department – Vigilance & Enforcement report - Verification of Krishna Pushkar Ghat works upstream of Prakasam Barrage i.e. i) Durga Ghat and ii) Pavitrasangamam Ghats – Disciplinary proceedings initiated against certain Engineers– Finalization of disciplinary proceedings–Further action dropped–Orders – Issued.

WATER RESOURCES (VIG.II (V&E.2)) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.556 Date: 24.11.2021

Read the following:

1. From the General (Vig.&Enft.) Dept., Vigilance Report No.27 (C.No.1113-3/ V&E /E1/2014), dated: 18.03.2019.
2. G.O.Rt.Nos. 447, 448, 449 & 450, WR(Vig.II) Dept, dated:26.09.2019 and G.O.Rt.Nos. 465 & 466 WR(Vig.II) Dept., dated:16.10.2019.
3. From Sri Y.S.Sudhakar, the then Chief Engineer (Retired), Written statement of defence, dated:03.01.2020.
4. From Sri S.Sugunakar Rao, the then Superintending Engineer, Written statement of defence, dated:21.12.2019.
5. From Sri M.S.S. Ravi Babu, the then Executive Engineer, Written statement of defence, dated:23.11.2019.
6. From Sri M.Venkateswarlu, the then Executive Engineer, Written statement of defence, dated:08.01.2020.
7. G.O.Rt.No.433, Water Resources (Vig.II(V&E-2) Dept., dated:24.08.2020.
8. From Sri R.P. Sisodia, IAS, Commissioner of Inquiries, General Administration Department, and Inquiring Authority, D.O.Lr.No.108/COI-RPS/2020, Dated: 08.02.2021.

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ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, the General Administration (V&E) Department have furnished their Vigilance Report on Krishna Pushkar Ghat works upstream of Prakasam Barrage i.e. i) Durga Ghat and ii) Pavitrasangamam Ghats, on which allegations were appeared in the newspapers.

2. In the reference 2nd read above, Articles of Charges were issued against the following officers for their irregularities on Krishna Pushkar Ghat works and in the references 3rd to 6th read above, the above said charged officers have submitted their written statements of defence.

S.No.	Name	Designation of officer
1	Sri Y.S.Sudhakar	CE (Retd)
2	Sri S.Sugunakar Rao	SE
3	Sri M.S.S. Ravi Babu	EE
4	Sri M.Venkateswarlu	EE

3. In the reference 7th read above, Sri R.P. Sisodia, IAS, Commissioner of Inquiries, General Administration Department was appointed as the Inquiring Authority to inquire into the charges framed against the above said charged officers for allegations on Krishna Pushkar ghat works upstream of Prakasam Barrage i.e. i) Durga Ghat and ii) Pavitrasangamam Ghats.

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4. In the reference 8th read above, Sri R.P. Sisodia, IAS, Commissioner of Inquiries, General Administration Department and the Inquiring Authority has submitted the inquiry report, reporting that the charges framed against the above said charged officers are held not proved.

5. Government, after careful examination of the entire matter, hereby drop further action against the following charged officers on the allegations of irregularities in the execution of Krishna Pushkaralu works in Vijayawada (i.e. Durga Ghat and Pavitrasangamam Ghats) taken up by Water Resources Department in Krishna District.

S.No.	Name	Designation of officer
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2	Sri S.Sugunakar Rao	SE
3	Sri M.S.S. Ravi Babu	EE
4	Sri M.Venkateswarlu	EE

6. The Engineer-in-Chief (AW), Water Resources Department, Vijayawada is requested to take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Syamala Rao Jamjam
Secretary To Government

To
Sri Y.S.Sudhakar, the then Chief Engineer (Retired) through the Engineer-in-Chief (AW), Water Resources Department, Vijayawada.
Sri S.Sugunakar Rao, the then Superintending Engineer through the Engineer-in-Chief (AW), Water Resources Department, Vijayawada.
Sri M.S.S. Ravi Babu, the then Executive Engineer through the Engineer-in-Chief (AW), Water Resources Department, Vijayawada.
Sri M.Venkateswarlu, the then Executive Engineer through the Engineer-in-Chief (AW), Water Resources Department, Vijayawada.
The Engineer-in-Chief (AW), Water Resources Department, AP, Vijayawada.
Copy to:
The Secretary, AP Vigilance Commission, AP Secretariat, Velagapudi, Amaravati.
The Director General and Ex-Officio Principal Secretary to Government, the General Administration (Vigilance & Enforcement) Department, 2nd Floor, Dr.NTR Administrative Block, P.N.Bus Station, Vijayawada-520002, Krishna District.
The Water Resources (Ser.I/II) Department.
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//FORWARDED::BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER